

December 19, 2001



Magalie Roman Salas
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
TW-A325
445 Twelfth St., SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: *Ex parte* presentation in: CS Docket No. 01-7

Dear Ms. Salas:

On December 18, 2001, on behalf of Media Access Project's clients Consumers Union, Consumer Federation of America, and the Center for Digital Democracy, I met with Susan Eid, legal advisor to Chairman Powell. In regard to the above captioned matter, I stated that, no matter what the Commission ultimately decides as to the nature of ITV, it must determine how ITV fits with existing law. In particular, the Commission must consider how the provisions of the Children's Television Act and implementing regulations, *see* 47 USC §303a; 47 CFR §§73.670, 76.225, apply to ITV, and must prevent programmers or cable system owners from using interactive features to circumvent these protections.

In accordance with Section 1.1206(b), 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206, this letter is being filed electronically with your office today.

Sincerely,

Harold Feld
Associate Director

cc: Susan Eid